
**HOUSE BILLS, HISTORY OF
IN THE HOUSE**

- HB 1. Relating to the composition of the districts for the election of members of the United States House of Representatives from the State of Texas.
Author(s): Crabb; King
Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read second time 10. — Motion for the previous question 10. — Motion prevails 10. — Record vote 10. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 10. — Passed to engrossment 11. — Record vote 11. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 11. — Reason for vote recorded in journal 12. — Constitutional three day rule suspended 12. — Record vote 12. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 13. — Read third time 13. — Motion for the previous question 13. — Motion prevails 13. — Record vote 14. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 14. — Passed 14. — Record vote 14. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 15. — Reason for vote recorded in journal 16. — Reported engrossed 57.
- HB 2. Relating to state fiscal management, including adjustments to certain school district fiscal matters made necessary by recent changes in state fiscal management; making related appropriations.
Author(s): McCall
Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read second time 16. — Passed to engrossment 16. — Constitutional three day rule suspended 16. — Record vote 16. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 17. — Read third time 17. — Passed 17. — Record vote 17. — Subject to Art.III Sec.49a Texas Constitution 17. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 18. — Reported engrossed 57.
- HB 3. Relating to the compilation and distribution of the state budget by the governor and to payment of certain tax refunds.
Author(s): Swinford
Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Corrected comm. report filed with committee coordinator 72. — Read second time 37. — Postponed 37. — Laid out as postponed business 69. — Postponed 69. — Laid out as postponed business 82. — Amended 82. — Passed to engrossment as amended 84. — Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 84. — Read third time 96. — Passed 96. — Reported engrossed 121.
- HB 4. Relating to unclaimed property.
Author(s): Swinford
Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 37. — Passed to engrossment 37. — Read third time 69. — Passed 69. — Reported engrossed 88.
- HB 5. Relating to the composition of the Parks and Wildlife Commission.
Author(s): Swinford
Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 37. — Laid on the table subject to call 37.
- HB 6. Relating to certain governmental benefit plans.
Author(s): Swinford

Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably with substitute. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 121.

- HB 7. Relating to the abandonment of proceeds distributable on reorganization of an insurance company.

Author(s): Swinford

Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 37. — Passed to engrossment 37. — Read third time 69. — Passed 69. — Reported engrossed 88.

- HB 8. Relating to meetings of the Legislative Budget Board conducted through the use of certain telecommunication devices.

Author(s): Swinford

Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 38. — Amended 38. — Amendment tabled 38. — Passed to engrossment as amended 39. — Record vote 39. — Read third time 69. — Passed 69. — Reported engrossed 88.

- HB 9. Relating to the conservation of energy and water by state agencies and to the authority of certain political subdivisions to collect certain infrastructure fees related to the control of water or storm water.

Author(s): Swinford

Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 39. — Amended 39. — Amended 40. — Amended 40. — Passed to engrossment as amended 40. — Read third time 70. — Postponed 70. — Laid before the house 84. — Amended 85. — Passed as amended 85. — Reported engrossed 98.

- HB 10. Relating to performance reviews of school districts.

Author(s): Swinford

Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33.

- HB 11. Relating to designating the presiding officer of the governing body of certain state agencies.

Author(s): Swinford

Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 40. — Passed to engrossment 40. — Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 40. — Read third time 70. — Postponed 70. — Laid before the house 85. — Passed 85. — Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 85. — Reported engrossed 98.

- HB 12. Relating to the administration of certain legislative agencies.

Author(s): Swinford

Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 72. — Read second time 85. — Point of order overruled 85. — Amended 86. — Passed to engrossment as amended 86. — Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 86. — Read third time 96. — Postponed 96. — Laid out as postponed business 119. — Amended 119. — Motion to pass 119. — Record vote 119.

- HB 13. Relating to certain reports and permits of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.

Author(s): Swinford

Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 41. — Passed to engrossment 41. — Read third time 70. — Passed 70. — Reported engrossed 88.

- HB 14. Relating to the abolition of the Texas Commission on Private Security and the transfer of its functions to the Department of Public Safety of the State of Texas and the Texas Department of Health and to the performance of those functions by those departments.

Author(s): Swinford

Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 41. — Amended 41. — Amended 42. — Passed to engrossment as amended 42. — Read third time 70. — Passed 70. — Reported engrossed 88.

- HB 15. Relating to the oversight of regional planning commissions by the governor and the state auditor.

Author(s): Swinford

Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 33. — Referred to Government Reform 33. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 43. — Passed to engrossment 43. — Read third time 70. — Passed 70. — Reported engrossed 88.

- HB 16. Relating to the qualifications of the commissioner of insurance.

Author(s): Swinford

Rules suspended 8. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 34. — Referred to Government Reform 34. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 57. — Read second time 43. — Amended 43. — Passed to engrossment as amended 43. — Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 43. — Read third time 70. — Motion to pass 70. — Record vote 70. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 71. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 87. — Resumed consideration 82. — Passed 82. — Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 82. — Reported engrossed 98.

- HB 17. Relating to the joint interim committee on the review of state agencies and school districts.

Author(s): Swinford

Read first time 34. — Referred to Government Reform 34. — Reported favorably with substitute. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 97.

- HB 18. Relating to certain agreements of the Texas Department of Transportation.

Author(s): Swinford

Read first time 34. — Referred to Government Reform 34. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 97.

- HB 19. Relating to certain government contracts to be performed in nonattainment areas for national ambient air quality standards.

Author(s): Swinford

Read first time 34. — Referred to Government Reform 34. — Reported favorably with substitute. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 97.

- HB 20. Relating to the audit of certain tax settlements.

Author(s): Swinford

Read first time 34. — Referred to Government Reform 34.

- HB 21. Relating to the standard for investing assets of the Texas County and District Retirement System.
Author(s): Swinford
Read first time 34. — Referred to Government Reform 34. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 97.
- HB 22. Relating to the performance of workers' compensation research by the Texas Department of Insurance; making an appropriation.
Author(s): Swinford
Read first time 34. — Referred to Government Reform 34. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 97.
- HB 23. Relating to the organization and duties of the Board of Pardons and Paroles.
Author(s): Swinford
Rules suspended 9. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read first time 34. — Referred to Government Reform 34. — Reported favorably with substitute. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 72. — Read second time 86. — Passed to engrossment 86. — Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 86. — Read third time 96. — Amended 96. — Passed as amended 97. — Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 97. — Reported engrossed 121.
- HB 24. Relating to the reorganization of, efficiency in, and other reform measures applying to state government; making an appropriation.
Author(s): Swinford
Read first time 34. — Referred to Government Reform 34.
- HB 25. Relating to the construction, acquisition, financing, maintenance, management, operation, ownership, and control of transportation facilities and the progress, improvement, policing, and safety of transportation in the state; making appropriations.
Author(s): Krusee
Rules suspended 9. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read second time 18. — Amended 18. — Amendment tabled 19. — Record vote 19. — Amendment tabled 20. — Record vote 20. — Amendment tabled 21. — Amendment tabled 21. — Record vote 21. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 22. — Amendment tabled 22. — Record vote 22. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 23. — Passed to engrossment as amended 23. — Motion to suspend rules lost 23. — Record vote 23. — Vote reconsidered 24. — Record vote 24. — Constitutional three day rule suspended 24. — Record vote 24. — Read third time 25. — Passed 25. — Nonrecord vote recorded in journal 25. — Reported engrossed 57.
- HB 26. Relating to appropriating the fees relating to the office of patient protection collected by certain licensing agencies for the Health Professions Council under House Bill No. 2985, Acts of the 78th Legislature, Regular Session, 2003.
Author(s): Capelo
Read first time 34. — Referred to Appropriations 34.
- HB 27. Relating to the right to refuse certain immunizations.
Author(s): Capelo
Companion document(s): SB 46
Read first time 34. — Referred to Public Health 34.
- HB 28. Relating to compliance histories for and incentives to reward compliance performance by entities regulated by the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
Author(s): Smith, Wayne
Read first time 34. — Referred to Environmental Regulation 34. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee

coordinator 57. — Read second time 43. — Passed to engrossment 43. — Record vote 43. — Read third time 84. — Amended 84. — Passed as amended 84. — Reported engrossed 98.

- HB 29. Relating to the dates of certain elections, the procedures for canvassing the ballots for an election, and the counting of certain ballots voted by mail.
Author(s): Denny
Rules suspended 9. — Record vote 9. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 9. — Read second time 26. — Amendment tabled 27. — Record vote 28. — Passed to engrossment 28. — Constitutional three day rule suspended 28. — Record vote 28. — Read third time 29. — Passed 29. — Record vote 29. — Statement of vote recorded in journal 30. — Reported engrossed 57.
- HB 30. Relating to the composition of the districts for the election of members of the United States House of Representatives from the State of Texas.
Author(s): Merritt
Coauthor(s): Laubenberg
Read first time 34. — Referred to Redistricting 34.
- HB 31. Relating to the creation, composition, and funding of the 415th Judicial District.
Author(s): King
Read first time 34. — Referred to Judicial Affairs 34.
- HB 32. Relating to an appropriation to the Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center for the purpose of attaining accreditation of a four-year medical school in El Paso and authorizing the issuance of revenue bonds for the center for an academic building to support the center's educational programs in El Paso.
Author(s): Pickett
Read first time 56. — Referred to Appropriations 56.
- HB 33. Relating to the program to study the use of credits for textbooks.
Author(s): Hochberg
Read first time 56. — Referred to Public Education 56.
- HB 34. Relating to the imposition of a lien on property to recover certain medical assistance.
Author(s): McClendon
Read first time 56. — Referred to Appropriations 56.
- HB 35. Relating to the prosecution of the offense of trespass by the holder of a license to carry a concealed handgun.
Author(s): Turner
Read first time 56. — Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence 56.
- HB 36. Relating to the environmental regulation and remediation of certain dry cleaning facilities.
Author(s): Madden
Read first time 56. — Referred to Business & Industry 56.
- HB 37. Relating to the authority of the secretary of state to modify the filing period and related dates for the March 2004 primary elections for congress.
Author(s): King
Read first time 56. — Referred to Elections 56.
- HB 38. Relating to the identification information required of an applicant for a driver's license.
Author(s): Wise
Read first time 56. — Referred to Law Enforcement 56.
- HB 39. Relating to the prosecution of and punishment for the offenses of kidnapping and aggravated kidnapping.
Author(s): Wise
Read first time 56. — Referred to Criminal Jurisprudence 56.

- HB 40. Relating to an appropriation to The University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio to support the Regional Academic Health Center.
Author(s): Wise
Read first time 57. — Referred to Appropriations 57.
- HB 41. Relating to restoring essential health and human services programs; depositing certain funds to the credit of the general revenue fund; and making appropriations.
Author(s): Coleman
Read first time 57. — Referred to Appropriations 57.
- HB 42. Relating to procedures adopted by a state entity to ensure an employment preference for veterans.
Author(s): Wise
Read first time 57. — Referred to Defense Affairs & State-Fed Relations 57.
- HB 43. Relating to appropriations to the Texas excellence fund and the university research fund.
Author(s): Coleman
Read first time 57. — Referred to Appropriations 57.
- HB 44. Relating to efficiency in certain procedures and hearings of the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality.
Author(s): Chisum
Read first time 57. — Referred to Environmental Regulation 57.
- HB 45. Relating to sanitation facilities at a temporary place of employment.
Author(s): Chavez
Read first time 72. — Referred to Public Health 72.
- HB 46. Relating to exemptions from the sales tax.
Author(s): Chavez
Read first time 72. — Referred to Ways & Means 72.
- HB 47. Relating to the shipment of wine by a winery in this state.
Author(s): Swinford
Read first time 72. — Referred to Economic Development 72.
- HB 48. Relating to the operation of community supervision and corrections departments and to the early release of a defendant from community supervision.
Author(s): Haggerty
Read first time 87. — Referred to Corrections 87.
- HB 49. Relating to the reapportionment of congressional districts and the creation, function, and duties of the Texas Congressional Redistricting Commission.
Author(s): Hochberg; Pitts; Puente; West, George “Buddy”; Jones, Jesse
Coauthor(s): Cook, Robby; Farabee; Hopson; McReynolds; Rose; Burnam; Geren; Naishtat
Companion document(s): SB 2
Read first time 87. — Referred to State Affairs 87.
- HB 50. Relating to the filing of personal financial disclosure statements by members of the boards of trustees of school districts.
Author(s): McReynolds; Eissler; Truitt; Callegari
Read first time 88. — Referred to Ethics, Select 88.
- HB 51. Relating to the creation, administration, powers, duties, operations, and financing of a border region high-speed rail authority for the Texas-Louisiana and the Texas-Mexico border regions; granting the power to issue bonds; imposing a tax; granting the power of eminent domain.
Author(s): Merritt
Read first time 88. — Referred to Border & International Affairs 88. — Reported favorably without amendments. — Committee report filed with committee coordinator 120.

HB 52. Relating to allowing a political subdivision to hold a local option election on whether a lawfully admitted resident alien may vote in an election held by the political subdivision.

Author(s): Alonzo

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